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James Clark and Buzz Harvey Were Given a Lesson by Judge Price in Police Court This Morning

James Clark and Buzz Harvey, accused of carrying concealed weapons, were fined \$50 each and costs to Judge Price in the police court this morning. The two boys had trouble with three other boys and then walked to a pool hall on Grand, O. N. Broadhead, one of the trio who caused their arrest, alleges that he again got into an argument with the boys and in the trouble the two youngsters drew revolvers on him. He took one away from Clark and slapped him, and he alleges that Harvey threw his gun away.

The two boys are about eighteen years of age and are both larger than Broadhead. In attacking the fine Judge Price is striking the seemingly popular chord at present against carrying concealed weapons. The last few weeks have totaled up a large list of those who were armed.

GUTHRIE MAKES CONTRACTS WITH EUROPEAN NATION

Guthrie, Ok., Dec. 3.—Contracts with the French government for 1,000 horses and 5,000 mules for delivery in France for military service have been announced by a local firm. The same firm first completed shipments of 5,000 horses and mules for use in the British army.

MILLIONS DROPPED OUT OF SIGHT; SAID AT TRIAL

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 3.—Financial deals which are alleged to have cost the road several million dollars and bonds representing almost as much more which are said to have dropped out of sight, were mentioned in testimony given here at the inquiry into the affairs of the Pere Marquette railroad by the Interstate commerce commission.

Coffee and the Cop

A booklet, "How to Keep Well," prepared under the eye of the Police Surgeon and the Health Commissioner, and distributed to the New York Policemen—the finest police force extant—among other suggestions, says:

"Strong Coffee and Tea are Always Harmful"

Coffee and tea both contain the drugs, caffeine and tannin, which often cause headache, biliousness, heart flutter, sleeplessness, and other ills.

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"There's a Reason"



Mrs. Richard A. Vose returned today from Pasadena, Calif., where she was called by the serious illness and death of her father, Mr. E. L. Coniger. Mrs. Coniger accompanied her home and will remain for the winter.

Mrs. Frank H. Sorgatz was hostess Wednesday to the Duplicate White club. Mrs. Fred L. Clark of Dallas, and Misses Frank O'Neal and Franklin Lax, being guests of the afternoon. Top scores were made by Misses G. K. Williams and R. E. Zartman and the club will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. M. L. Turner.

Mr. Logan Bennett, who has been quite ill for the past week, is convalescing.

Mrs. Speedy L. Lowe entertained the Wednesday Auction club yesterday. High score was made by Mrs. Phillip Pierce. It has been decided to change the club to a luncheon club, and all meetings have been postponed until December 30 when Mrs. Phillip Pierce will be hostess.

The Swastika Study club met Wednesday in the library. Mrs. H. Conifer Todd, president of the City Federation gave a talk on the work of the organization, and the club voted to assist in the federation work by the donation of a regular fund assessed per capita. The appointment of Mrs. H. G. Hatfield as chairman of the eleventh committee of the Second district was received also of Mrs. John Nichols a member of the district committee of sociology. The study of "Annie English Hodgeknows" was taken up in the lesson being given by Misses G. T. Bryan, Clifford Meyers, J. S. Bryan, Fred Braisted, and W. P. Cummingham. The next meeting will be December 16 in the library.

Mr. Logan Bennett entertained the D. T. club Wednesday afternoon. Miss Nettie Preston being an addition of guest. Top score was made by Mrs. W. E. Onkes and the club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Harry Adams.

Mrs. T. M. Milian was hostess Wednesday to the Oak Park Embroidery club, the afternoon being spent with needlework. Mrs. W. D. Nichols assisted the hostess in serving and the meeting next Wednesday will be with Mrs. Carl Mitchell.

At the meeting of the Callethia club Wednesday with Mrs. Earl Messingill, Mrs. W. B. Armour was leader of the lesson on English Literature. Mrs. Thomas Scott gave a most excellently prepared paper on "Milton's Paradise Lost." Bell call was answered with quotations from Milton. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. A. Moore.

Judge and Mrs. Clinton A. Gilbrath will entertain at dinner this evening for Mrs. W. W. Witten of Oklahoma.

Mrs. Charles Whitman of Council Bluffs, Ia., arrived Friday for a visit with her sister Mrs. J. Watson Hawk.

Mrs. Rebecca Beatty, who is spending the winter in California, is now in Orange, Cal., where she is the guest of her brother.

The New Century club met Wednesday in the library, and took up the study of three foremost Germans with Mrs. Schiller, Heine and Nietzsche with Mrs. Maude Smith as leader. Mrs. J. McCormick gave a sketch of the life and works of Heine and Mrs. J. Watson Hawk told of Schiller, the poet whose life and characteristics were as admirable as his poems and whose "William Tell" will always remain one of the classics. Mrs. Smith gave an interesting talk on Nietzsche the philosopher, whose writings and philosophy are believed to have influenced in a great measure the beginning of the present war. Miss Edith Johnson also gave a talk on Nietzsche and read several criticisms of his latest work "Beyond Good and Evil."

The Fortnightly Research club met Wednesday with Mrs. J. H. Kellogg. Parliamentary drill was led by Mrs. W. W. Morris. A most instructive and interesting address was given by Dr. J. C. Hubbard on the Properties of Foods and Their Value.

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Something unusual at this time of the year, when everybody is thinking about Christmas, but we keep goods moving here. An odd lot of jewelry, of course, with a decided loss for us. Beauty pins, bar pins, hat pins, cuff links, a few vanity cases and a few bracelets. They are special for tomorrow, but not a piece should be left when the store closes tomorrow night.

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Mrs. Charles Whitman of Council Bluffs, Ia., was a guest. The club will meet next Wednesday for Domestic Science day with Mrs. John Shirk.

The Allegre Ambus did not meet this week but will be entertained next Thursday by Miss Myra Wilson.

Mrs. Henry Hanson, who has been quite ill with pneumonia for the last two weeks is now convalescent.

Mrs. John Hope entertained the Isla club Wednesday. Mrs. E. B. Howard and Mrs. N. S. Sherman, Jr., being additional guests. Mrs. Glenn Beemer made the top score. The club will meet next week with Mrs. J. H. Davis.

The benefit dance to be given by the Oklahoma Shrine for the Panama Pacific exposition fund has been postponed until after the first of the year. The Shrine will have its regular dance this evening at the Skirvin hotel.

Miss Clytie Ingram was hostess Wednesday to the Alpha Beta club, additional guests being Misses E. S. Sullivan and E. J. Spenser. Mrs. W. H. Fersomont was elected to membership and the birthday plate was presented to Mrs. W. H. Pattee. New officers elected were: President, Mrs. C. H. Reynolds; vice president, Mrs. A. T. Garner; secretary, Mrs. W. H. Pattee; treasurer, Mrs. Robert L. Mills. It was decided to meet promptly at 2 o'clock for the remainder of the season. The meeting Wednesday will be with Mrs. H. P. Matthesen.

The Mistletoe club was pleasantly entertained Wednesday by Mrs. C. M. Jones, who had decorated her home with mistleto and autumn leaves. Guests with the club members were Misses E. V. Jessie and A. B. Westcott. The afternoon was spent with needlework and music by Misses S. R. Evans, W. C. Householder and the hostess, was enjoyed. Mrs. M. Metzger was made a member. The hostess was assisted by her daughter Miss Anita Evans in serving. The next meeting in two weeks will be with Mrs. S. R. Evans.

Miss C. H. Shubert, W. A. Fullerton and Warren Wilkerson were guests with the members of the Ridge-Woo club, which was entertained Wednesday by Mrs. J. W. True. Christmas needlework occupied the afternoon. The next meeting in two weeks will be with Mrs. G. A. Gessner.

The members of the Ready to Help

club in place of their annual charity ball gave a Charity Matinee Wednesday at the home of Miss Rita Malone. The house was decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and ferns and the living room was arranged as a stage. The program was a most enjoyable one and was opened with a piano solo by Miss Pauline Robert. Mrs. W. L. Manjion and Mrs. N. DeWitt Allen gave a very clever comedy sketch "The Man in the Case." Mrs. Robert Hoffscheuer rendered a violin number and Mrs. Roy G. Sheldon gave a solo dance. Mrs. Wayne Campbell gave a group of readings that were much appreciated, and Miss Josephine McMillan closed the program with a vocal solo. She was served to more than a hundred guests.

Mrs. A. H. Kramer and daughter Charlotte arrived today from Endi for a visit with Mrs. E. H. Ihnes.

ASKING A NEW TRIAL

Attorney for Robert Allen Alleges That Jurors Were Filled Up With Literature on Murders.

The latest development in the case of Robert Allen, convicted in superior court of the murder of P. B. Reynolds, is the filing today of a supplemental petition by Norman Pruitt for the defense.

Pruitt alleged that during the delib-

erations on the case the jurors were permitted to read the daily papers, which detailed the accounts of three alleged murders in the city and the purported murderous assault with a knife of a husband upon his wife, also the results of an inquest held over the body of a girl found dead near Bethany.

The petition further asserts that these jurors were permitted to see the knife said to have been used in the Puckett murder, that they commented upon all these atrocities and remarked among themselves that a wave of crime seemed to be engulfing

the community.

It is further complained that the penalty and punishment were considered before a verdict was pronounced, and that those jurors who stood for conviction told the ones who were for acquittal that they would not vote for Allen to hang, should the verdict be guilty, but that they would favor life imprisonment. Because of these allegations the defendant asks for a new trial.

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